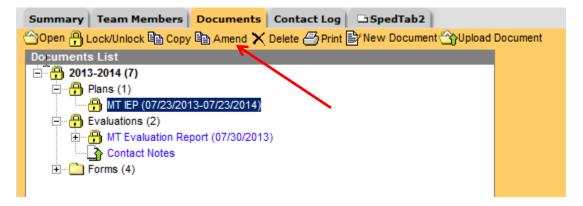
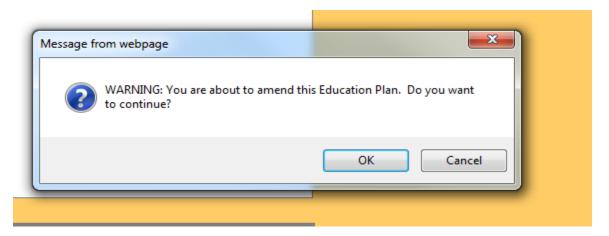
How to Amend an IEP

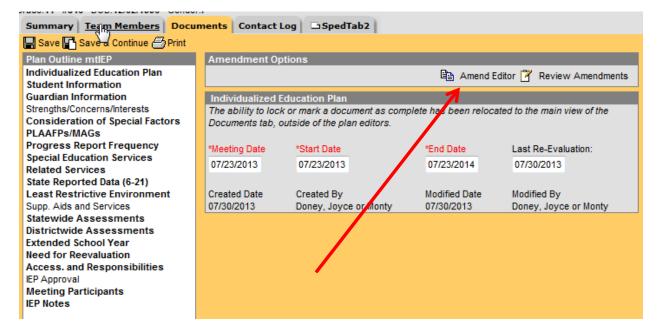
Highlight the IEP you want to amend by clicking once and then click "Amend."



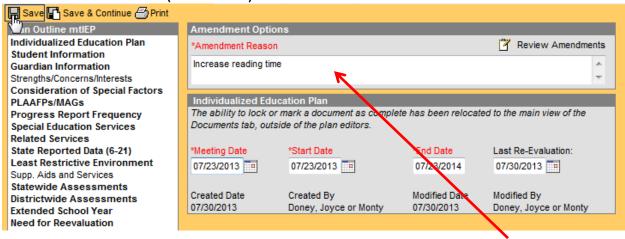
You will receive a warning:



When you click "OK" this box will open:



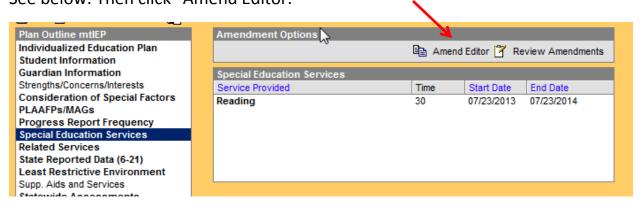
Click "Amend Editor" (see above).



Type a brief reason for the amendment in the box that opens and then click "Save."

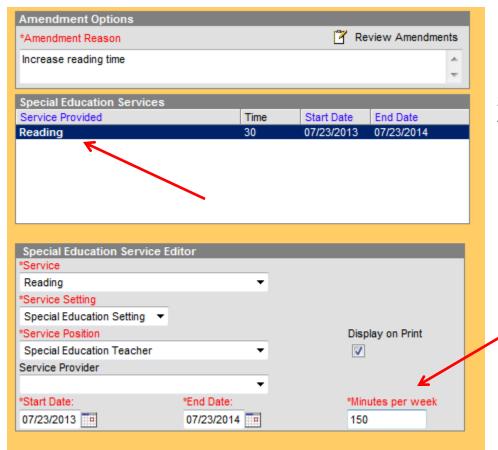
Do not change any dates in this box. The Meeting Date is the date of the original IEP meeting. Neither the Meeting Date nor the IEP End Date will change. The Start Date of the amendment may be changed as the last step in the amendment process.

Next click on the Plan Outline editor you want to amend, such as Special Education Services. See below. Then click "Amend Editor."



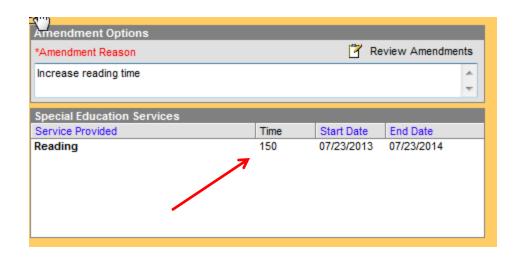
In the box that opens type a brief reason for the amendment.





Next, click on the service to be amended, such as reading. See at left. A box will open that allows you to change reading services information, in this case reading time is increased from 30 minutes to 150. Click "Save."

In the Special Education Services box you can see the minutes have been increased to 150.

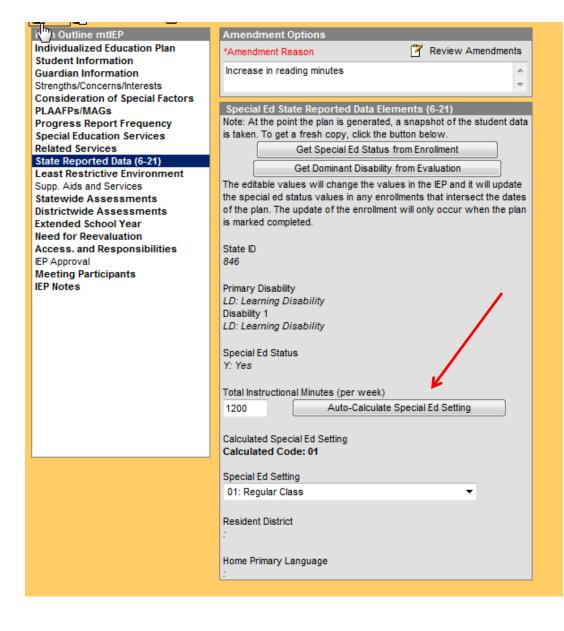


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State Reported Data (6-21)
Least Restrictive Environment
Supp. Aids and Services
Statewide Assessments
Districtwide Assessments
Extended School Year
Need for Reevaluation
Access. and Responsibilities
IEP Approval
Meeting Participants
IEP Notes

At this point changes may be made to other areas of the IEP, such as Related Services, by selecting from the Plan Outline editor. For each editor you access, the process to make changes is the same as above: you begin by clicking "Amend Editor" and then type a brief explanation in the box that opens.

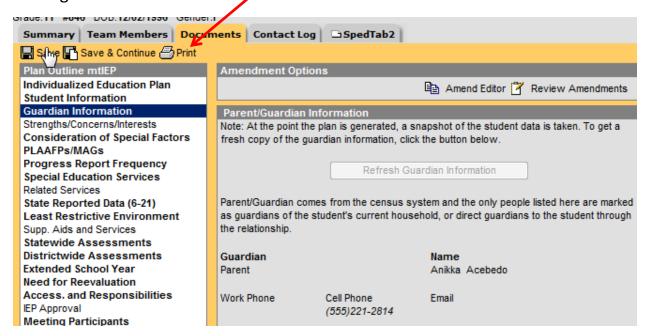
Every editor continues to be editable until the Amendment is locked so you may return to previously accessed editors, such as the Special Education Services editor, and make further changes if necessary.



Please note: If changes are made to service minutes in the Special **Education Services** editor, you must go to the State Reported Data Editor and click "Amend Editor" and type a brief explanation in the box that opens. Then click "Auto Calculate Special Ed Setting" to ensure the correct Setting of Service. Also note that **Total Instructional** Minutes is defined by the district.

View a PDF of the Amendment

At any time during the amendment process you may view a PDF version of the amendment by clicking the Print icon.

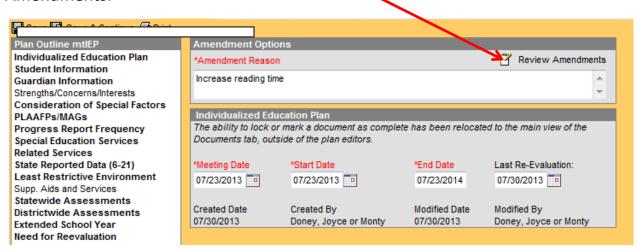


A list of the Amended IEP components will appear at the beginning of the PDF version of the IEP, along with the Reason for Amendments. See below.

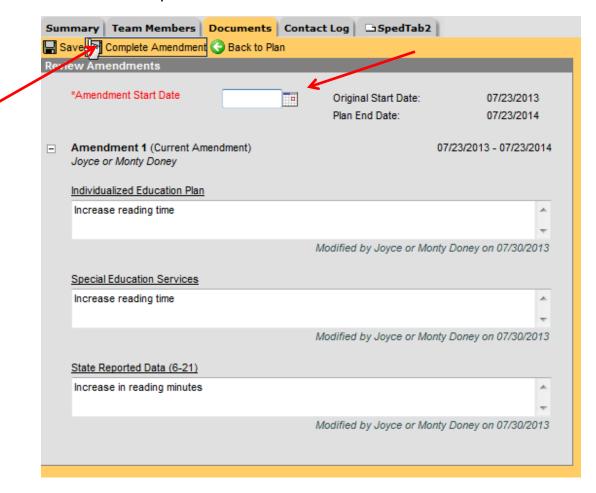
| Office of Public Instruction PO Box 202501 Helena, MT 59820-2501 | Individualized Education Program | | | | | |
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| PLAN | AMEND | MENTS | | | | |
| Individualized Education Plan | | Reason for Amendment: | | | | |
| Montana IEP: Individualized Education Plan editor. Edit basic attributes of all | | Increase reading time | | | | |
| education plans. This element should be the first item of any IEP | | | | | | |
| Special Education Services | | Reason for Amendment: | | | | |
| Montana IEP: SPED and Related Services | | Increase reading time | | | | |
| State Reported Data (6-21) | | Reason for Amendment: | | | | |
| Montana IEP (Ages 6-21): Fetch state reported data for display on the IEP, and | | Increase in reading minutes | | | | |
| allow editing the local values on the plan. This Enrollment Status edito | | | | | | |
| push special ed status values back to enrollment when plan has been saved and | | | | | | |
| locked. | | | | | | |
| STUDENT INFORMATION | | | | | | |
| Student's Name: | Initials: | Birth Date: | Age: | Gender: | Meeting Date: | Grade: |
| Extended concer real | | | | | | |

Completing the Amended IEP

Until the amendment is locked, you have access to all editors and may continue to make changes. When all changes to the IEP amendment have been made, click on Review Amendments.



The following box opens. At this point you may change the amendment Start Date and/or click "Back to Plan" to review or print the document.



After parent signatures have been obtained, click "Complete Amendment" (see above). This final step locks the document, at which point no further changes can be made. The Amendment must be locked as soon as the Amended IEP has been signed by the parent.

Please note: The Review Amendments box also serves as an "audit trail," listing each amendment and the amendment's author.